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**REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION**

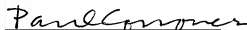
Applicant : Philip J. Simpson, et al.  
App. No : 10/584,920  
Filed : December 28, 2006  
For : VALVE ASSEMBLY  
Examiner : Kami A. Bosworth  
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Paul N. Conover, Reg. No. 44,087**Mail Stop RCE**

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This Request for Continued Examination (RCE) is being made as follows:

1. Submission Required under 37 CFR 1.114:

- (X) Enclosed:  
(X) Amendment/Reply in 9 pages.

2. Fees:

FEE CALCULATION				
FEE TYPE		FEE CODE	CALCULATION	TOTAL
RCE Fee		1801 (\$810)		\$810
			TOTAL FEE DUE	\$810

3. Payment:

- (X) The amount of \$810 will be paid via EFS Web.

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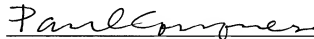
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Please charge any additional fees, including any fees for additional extension of time, or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 11-1410.

Respectfully submitted,  
KNOBBE MARTENS OLSON & BEAR LLP

Dated: August 18, 2009

  
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